



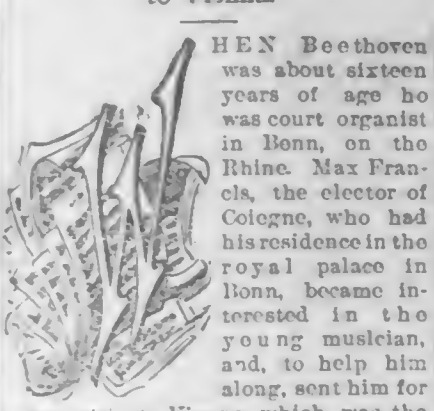






A STORY OF BEETHOVEN.

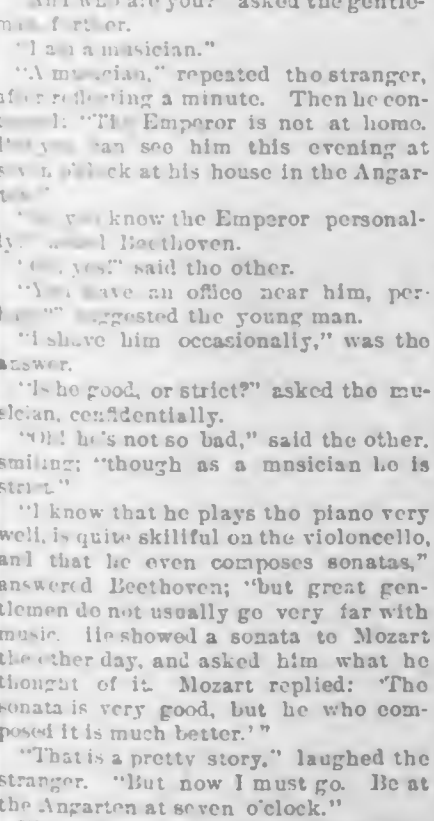
The Great Composer's First Visit to Vienna.



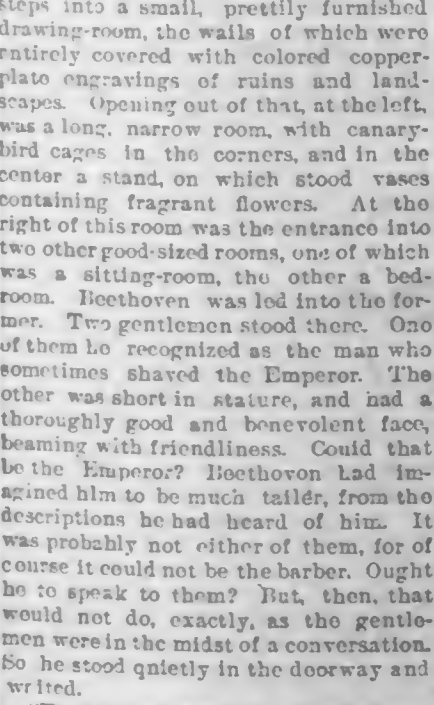
BEETHOVEN was about sixteen years old when he was courted by the Rhine. Max Franz, the elector of Cologne, who had his residence in Bonn, became interested in the young musician, and, to help him along, sent him for a visit to Vienna, which was the great musical center of the world at that time. The elector of Cologne, who was a great patron of the arts, had a letter of recommendation to his brother Joseph, the Emperor of Germany, and to the Archduke of Austria, which he was to deliver to the Emperor himself.



Not many days after his arrival in Vienna, he dressed himself in his best and started for the royal castle with the letter in his pocket. Although he had overcome in some degree his dread of meeting with people in a higher station of life than his own, still it was not without some feeling of trepidation that he thought of meeting the mighty ruler of the whole German Empire.



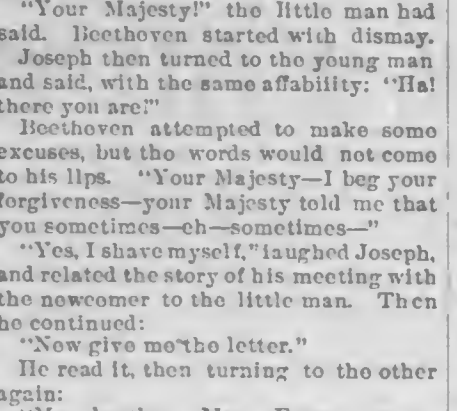
As he passed through the door which led to the Emperor's apartments he stepped a moment to consider what he should say to his Majesty. Just then a slender gentleman came into the ante-room, and, attracted by the young man's manner, advanced toward him.



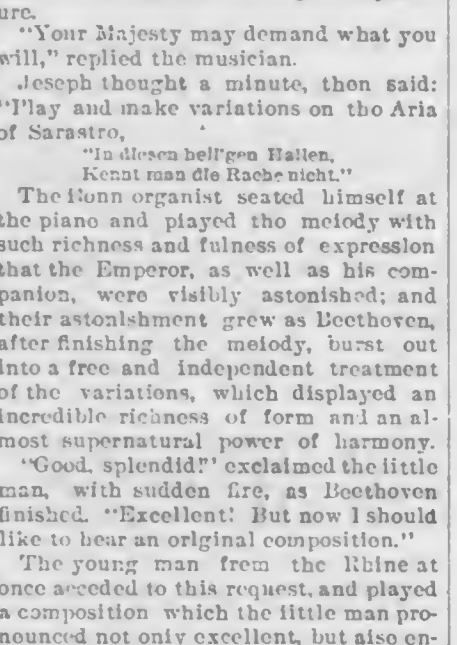
Where do you wish to go? he asked, courteously. Beethoven looked at the speaker, thinking perhaps he was making fun of him, but the whole expression of the handsome, slender gentleman was that of friendly earnestness. His rather English face, merry, friendly eyes, and the sweet expression of the mouth gave him a peculiar power of attraction. The elector's high, thin nose slightly curved. Here and there were traces of small-pox scars, but they did not disfigure the face. Evidently the young artist was pleased with his appearance.

THE NEW EDITOR.

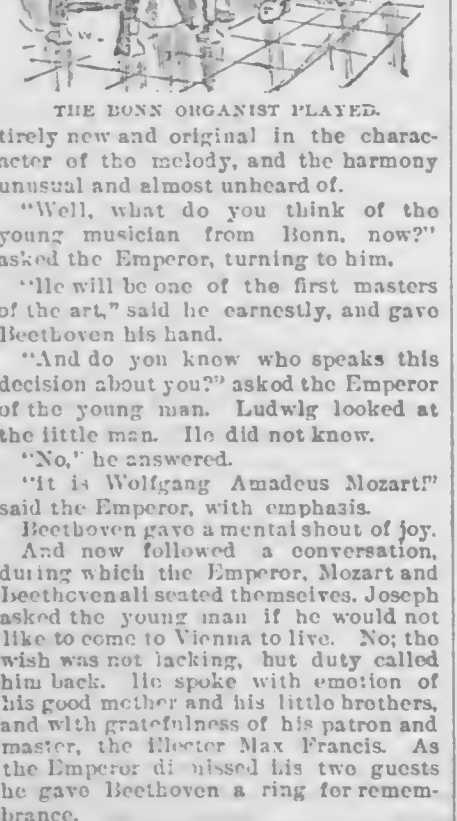
How He Came to Throw Up His Position.



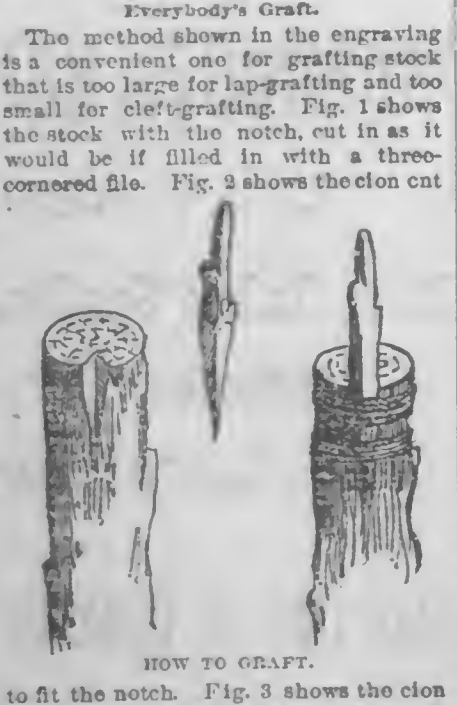
PAPER published in a large Western town was in need of a new editor. It was not necessary for him to be a full-fledged editor, or particularly gifted in handling the truth, as the position was an insignificant one and did not require a vast amount of talent.



Jim Neverflush applied for the position. Jim was a worthless kind of a man, totally unreliable. He also drank like the star of a minstrel combination. "The position is not a good one," said the editor to whom he applied, candidly, "and the work is not entirely in the literary line."



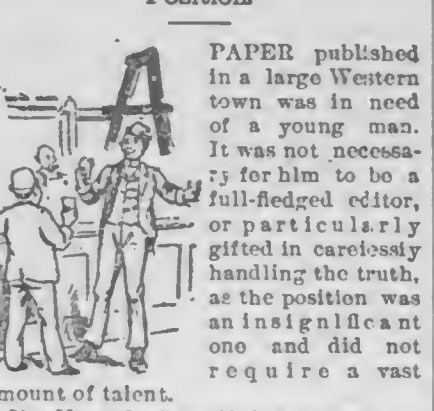
"Oh, that don't make any difference to me," said Jim. "In fact I like to have a variety of things to do—it kinder breaks the monotony."



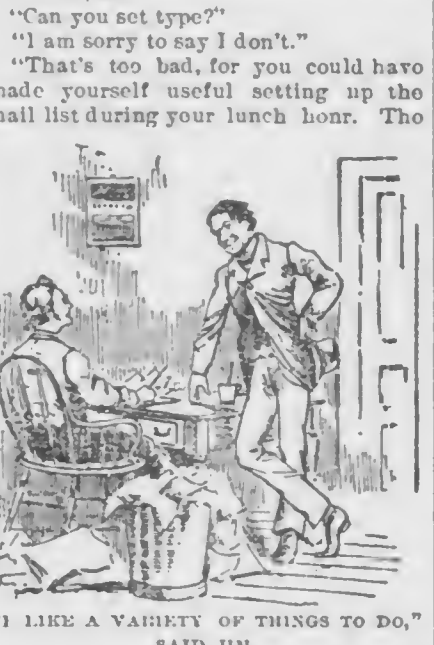
One of my strong points is seeking sample copies throughout the country. "That be the most musical, charming, inexhaustible master the world has ever seen," said Beethoven, enthusiastically. "I have never seen a man like you," said the editor, "and I have never seen a man like you."

COOPS FOR CHICKENS.

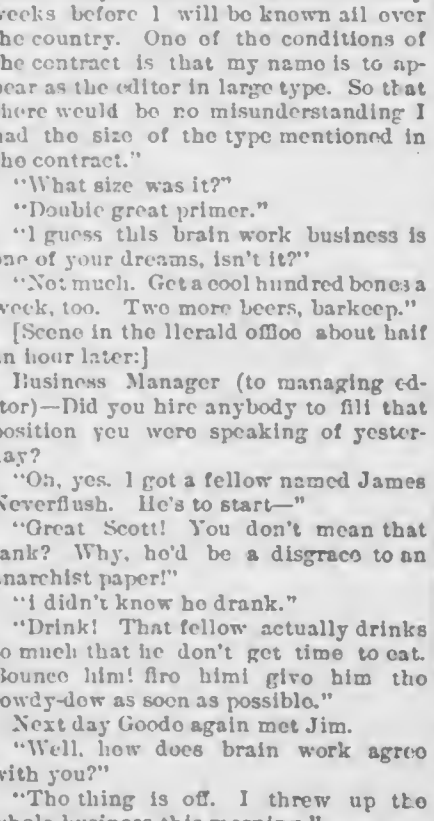
This Is the Simplest and Best and, Besides, Easily Made.



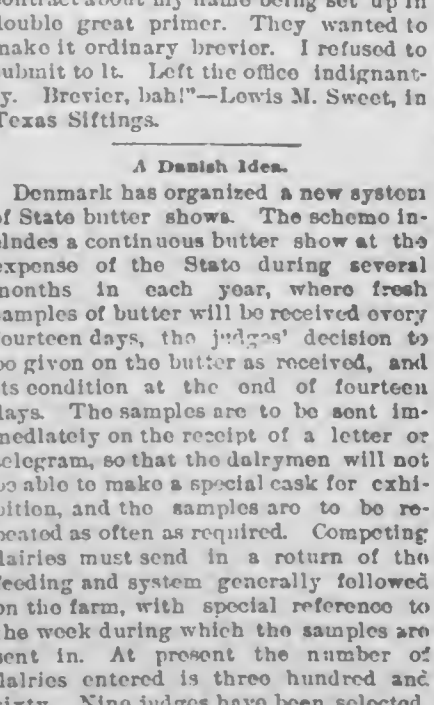
The season is at hand when coops for chickens are in demand. As success depends largely on the kind of shelter provided, we here present the illustration of a triangular coop with movable floor. This coop is recommended as among the best by H. H. Stoddard in his manual on poultry architecture, and is, moreover, easily made.



Make the coop of half-inch stuff, so that it might be light and moved easily, a piece of wood being fastened to the roof (as in the figure) each side for a handle. The door, A, is hinged to open upward.



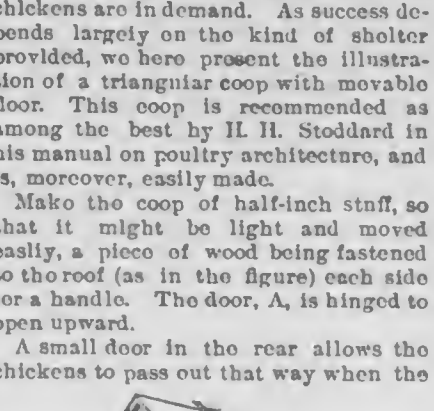
A small door in the rear allows the chickens to pass out that way when the door, A, is closed in cold weather.



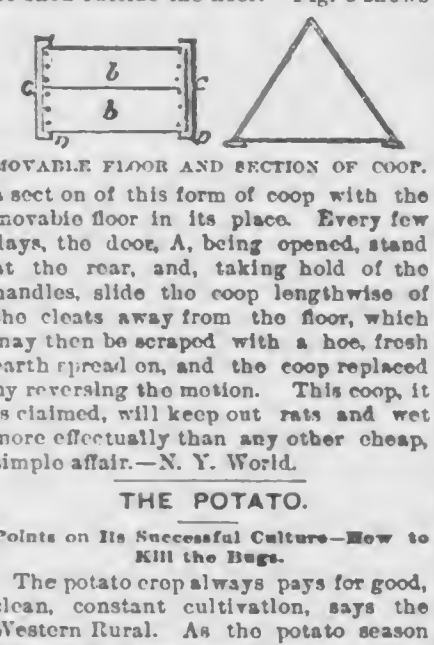
In one roof is set a large pane of glass (shown in the cut), useful in early spring for warmth, that side being turned to the south, but in summer to the north. An opening for ventilation is made near the peak on both sides and covered with wire cloth.

ANNABEL.

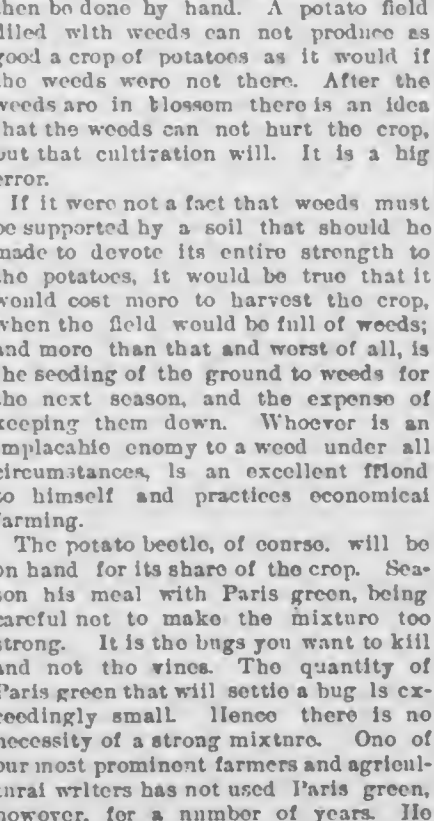
The Influence of Climate—How She Got Her Fortune.



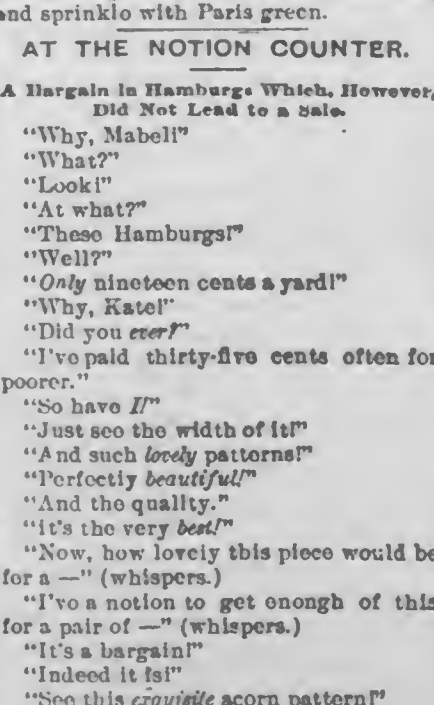
CLIMATE and soil work wonders in manners, habits, and even in complexions. Anna-bell Millard was the prettiest and every-where young man in California at the time she was a natural coquette, fond of admiration, given to flirtations and frequently engaged to be married. Her complexion was similar to that of a whole town which has been given up to an election celebration over night. Her hair was magnificently in influence upon white horses. They seemed to follow her everywhere. Her manners were those of a boyish maiden of the plains—untrammelled by the extraneous social amenities of city life.



But, alas!—day, her Uncle John came from California with a letter to his waist, full of pure gold. Nay, more, her Uncle John bore in his pockets big wads of bank notes of phenomenal value and owned cattle upon a thousand hills. A week-day, as it was remarked, Annabel's Uncle John came home and died. He did not die immediately, but lingered for weeks, suffering the pangs of death, that grim destroyer of youth and beauty, as well as of age and homeliness. Annabel's own hand administered the medicine of death, which alone could soothe his pains and drive away the phantoms which pursued him.



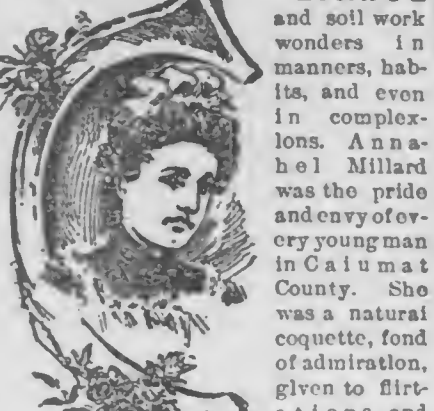
In the course of time, however, her dear Uncle John died and was buried. His will was brief and very much to the point. He left all of his worldly goods to his beloved niece, Annabel Millard. But there was a proviso. Not one penny of it should Annabel have until she was twenty-five years of age, and had spent seven years in certain designated Eastern schools.



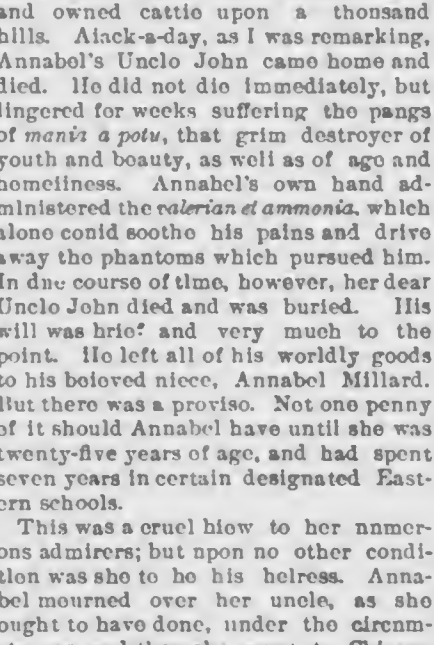
This was a cruel blow to her numerous admirers; but upon no other condition was she to be his heiress. Annabel mourned over her uncle, as she ought to have done, under the circumstances, and then she went to Chicago and was sentenced to six weeks with the dress-maker. At the conclusion of her first absence from home, she returned to the old cabin, and her friends scarcely recognized her. The white horses alone were true to her and followed her. Well, seven years passed away, as seven or eight years will do; and Annabel came home to claim her fortune. Her hair was auburn, her hands had lost their healthful freckles, her face was becoming pale, her feet had corns, her bustle was tremendous, her head upright as a thermometer, and her gait was wholly changed. Doubtless would her feet have been a different girl. Climate and soil had changed her. She got her fortune.

THE POTATO.

Points on Its Successful Culture—How to Kill the Bugs.



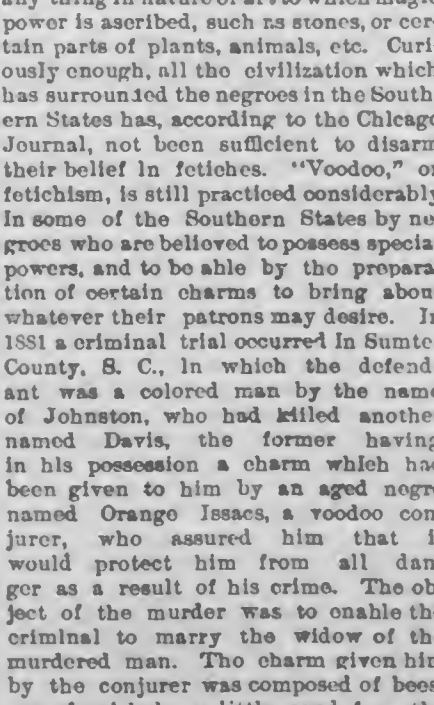
The potato crop always pays for good, clean, constant cultivation, says the Western Rural. As the potato season is short, the crop should be pushed as rapidly as possible. Some people begin cultivation even before the plant appears above the ground, and it is a good plan, especially if the weeds begin to show themselves. The potato should be continued until the vines cover the ground, provided it is necessary to keep the land clean. Different seasons will require different degrees of cultivation. The weeds, if they start, should still be kept out, and it must then be done by hand. A potato field filled with weeds can not produce as good a crop of potatoes as it would if the weeds were not there. After the weeds are in blossom there is an idea that the weeds can not hurt the crop, but that cultivation will. It is a big error.



If it were not a fact that weeds must be supported by a soil that should be made to devote its entire strength to the potatoes, it would be true that it would cost more to harvest the crop when the field would be full of weeds, and more than that and worst of all, is the seeding of the ground to weeds for the next season, and the expense of keeping them down. Weeds are an implacable enemy to a weed under all circumstances, is an excellent friend to labor and practices economical farming.



The potato beetle, of course, will be on hand for its share of the crop. Season his meal with a little salt, and being careful not to make the mixture too strong. It is the bugs you want to kill, not the vines. The quantity of dust will settle a bug is exceedingly small. Hence there is no necessity of a strong mixture. One of the most prominent farmers and agricultural writers has not used Paris green, however, for a number of years. He estimates twice a week, and attaches to the dust of the singlest a light brush. This brushes off the beetles ahead of the cultivator, and many of them are killed. But the Paris green diet is by all odds the most efficient of anything. Push the growth as much as possible, and sprinkle with Paris green.



AT THE NOTION COUNTER. A bargain in Hamburgs, which, however, did not lead to a sale. "Why, Mabel?" "What?" "Look!" "At what?" "These Hamburgs!" "Well?" "Only nineteen cents a yard!" "Why, Kate?" "Did you ever?" "I've paid thirty-five cents often for poorer." "So have I?" "Just see the width of it!" "And such lovely patterns!" "Perfectly beautiful!" "And the quality?" "It's the very best!" "Now, how lovely this piece would be for a—!" (whispering). "You've notion to get enough of this for a pair of—?" (whispering). "It's a bargain!" "Indeed it is!" "See this exquisite acorn pattern!" "Wonder if there's enough for—no, it's only a remnant." "Think so?" "I could make it do." "I'm afraid—Oh, see this piece!" "How lovely!" "Isn't it?" "They don't buy any after all—!" Omaha's blizzard.

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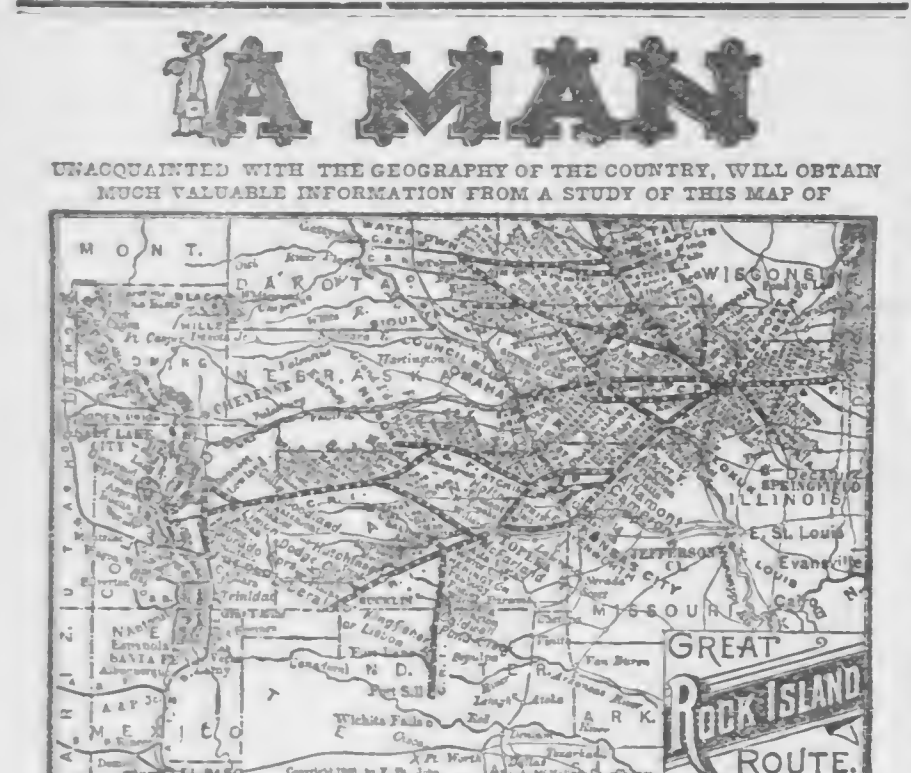
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## THE NEGRO QUESTION.

(B. R. Forman in N. O. Times-Democrat.)  
Hayti, or the Black Republic. By Sir Spencer St. John, K. C., M. G. Schirmer & Welford, New York.

The English in the West Indies. Froude. An Appeal to Pharaoh. The Negro Problem and its Radical Solution. By Sir Spencer St. John, K. C., M. G. Schirmer & Welford, New York.

These three books deserve the careful and thoughtful study of every patriotic American. Sir Spencer St. John was for many years the British minister resident and consul general in Hayti. When the West Indies were perfectly free from race prejudice, he was the only one who was not a fact his sympathies and prejudices were rather in favor of the negro. So perfectly free was he from the prejudice which is universal in the United States that he did not hesitate to entertain the negroes at his own table on terms of perfect social equality.

After many years of close observation and study of the negro, when all the social and governmental forces were in his control, he has drawn a picture of degradation and barbarism that is well calculated to arouse the thoughtful consideration of the white men and women of the United States, who have 6,000,000 negroes in their country, and to whom is presented the alternative of assimilation or expulsion.

This English minister states that voodooism and cannibalism and human sacrifices to the devil are constantly practiced and encouraged in Hayti. He states that the negroes are divided into three classes: the free, the half-free, and the slave. The free negroes are the most numerous, but they are the most degraded and the most ignorant.

With the rule of the negro, property, progress, prosperity resulting from civil order becomes impossible and unknown. Mr. Froude disbelieves the journey of the negroes to Hayti, and Sir Spencer St. John, and himself made an extended visit to Hayti and himself made an extended visit to Hayti and himself made an extended visit to Hayti.

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## Declamers Contest.

In the University Chapel, Friday night, a large number of people assembled to hear the declamations of ten members of the Sophomore and Freshman classes. Judge Scott, Prof. Clark and Dr. Auld were the judges. The medal was awarded to Mr. Frank H. Keen, of Louisville, who recited the Chariot Race from Gen. Lew Wallace's Ben Hur. In a felicitous speech of a few minutes, Judge Scott presented the medal, but said that the other nine declamations were little less victorious than that of the victor. An orchestra from Italy furnished the music.

Can Dr. Barbour Answer. The Danville Advocate of Friday says: The old house which is being torn down on the corner of Third and Walnut streets from outward appearance, would have been judged to be a modern constructed residence. The fact is the house was an old timer. The large timbers which were hewn and placed in position in the year 1750, which date is clearly and distinctly cut into the timbers. This house then was more than one hundred years old and is certainly one of the earliest landmarks in the interior of Kentucky. This old residence doubtless, could unfold many a tale of early pioneer daring and suffering. From the structure of the house, and the fact that it was built by a settler, it was originally of the Kentucky log cabin style of architecture prevailing in pioneer days. The logs were in a perfect state of preservation, although it has been more than one hundred years since they were hewn from the principal forest. This old landmark in three years has been torn down. The wealth of Kentucky, which was admitted to statehood in June 1792. There are no records in this county, Mercer, or Lincoln by which the ownership of the land at that time can be traced. Who originally constructed the house is probably known to no living man. It is a pity that so venerable a habitation should be pulled down to make way for this age of disregard for all things which savor of antiquity. Who built the original house? Major Barbour, father of Mr. James Barbour, of Lexington, and Prof. L. G. Barbour, of Richmond, one of Danville's pioneer merchants, lived in the house sixty years ago. Probably some member of that family might be able to trace this old residence back to the hardy pioneer who built it here in the heart of the dark and bloody wilderness. It is the largest of the old houses of the Methodist church, and to utilize a marked log found in the old house in the construction of the new church and thereby secure, for these centennial times of Methodism, a relic which itself is a centennial.

Former Constitutional Conventions. Kentucky's first Constitutional Convention was held at Danville in April 1792. Samuel McDowell was President, and Thomas Todd, Clerk.

The second convention was held at Frankfort, in August 1795. Alexander Hamilton was President. Twenty-five counties were represented. Fayette and Bourbon had the largest representation, six delegates each. Those from Frankfort were John Brockridge, John McDowell, John Bell, H. Harrison, B. Thuston, Walter Carr.

The present Constitutional Convention, Green Clay, Thomas Clark, William Irvine, Clark had three—Clarke, Hickman, Sudduth. Garrard had one—William Elledge. Jessamine had one—John Price. The counties of Estill, Jackson and Rockcastle, had not been present.

The present Convention was adopted at Frankfort, in June 1850. James Guthrie of Louisville, President; Thomas J. Helm, Secretary. The delegates from Madison were Squire Turner and William Chalmers.

Fayette's delegates were James Duley and Robert Wickliffe. Clark was Andrew Hood. Estill's was Luther Bracker. Jackson had not been present. Rockcastle, Jonathan Newcum. If Garrard had delegates, it seems he failed to sign his name. Jessamine was represented by Alexander K. Marshall. Lincoln by John Bellinger. Boyle, Albert Gallatin Talbot; Mercer, Thomas P. Moore; Woodford, John L. Waller; Scott, William Johnson; Bourbon, George W. Williams and Richard H. Hanson; Montgomery, Richard Apperson.

John Hargis, a relative of Mr. H. C. Hargis of this place, represented the counties of Breathitt and Morgan. David McCreth was one of the delegates from Louisville, and recently was a member of the Legislature. The celebrated Ben Hardin was one of the delegates from Nelson and Charles Wickliffe was the other. The late Governor John Stevenson represented the counties of Boyle and Nicholas.

But few of the delegates are now alive. No county had more than two representatives and in only two instances did one delegate represent more than two counties. James Garrard represented Clay, Letcher and Perry, and James M. Lackey the counties of Floyd, Pike and Johnson.

TOURISTS. Whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and all kinds of sickness. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

THIN COLUMN. Miss Crazy-Bull is a belle of Chamberlain, South Dakota. She is a Green man from Cincinnati was here last week. The circus will probably overtake him.

The Devil must be some kind of a musical instrument, or a game of some sort, because we frequently hear of somebody "playing the Devil."

What is the life? It must be important, as we see that Covington & Mitchell, Vories & Schofield, Crook Bennett & Urmon, W. A. Powell, J. B. Stouffer and others advertise it extensively.

The Christian Observer, a prominent religious paper of Louisville, comments on the remarkable fact that not a member of the Presbyterian Church was killed by the tornado. Sorry to know that the Presbyterians are so scarce in the Falls City.

Weekender Prepared. F. Weekender & Co. will not be caught napping by the horse sale to-morrow, the circus Friday and Court day Monday. They will have for their lunch counter and dining room in the Revenue building an unusually large supply of choice things to eat. Spring chicken in various styles, ham, steak, vegetables, breads, pies, cakes, coffee, tea and milk, and everything else that is good and cheap, and anywhere, from slightly to ravenously, call at the New York Restaurant, Revenue building, and have your hunger appeased and your thirst quenched.

MATRIMONIAL. Miss Mary M. Rowland, of Lexington, and Mr. George W. Land will be married this afternoon. She has often visited Miss Mollie Fife, this place.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. L. Gregory, Fort Estill, is visiting Danville. Mrs. Ed. Rowland has returned from Harrodsburg. Miss Ida Cobb, of Estill county, was in Richmond on Friday. Mr. W. A. Parrish, of Lily, Ky., was in Richmond, last week. Mr. W. Gay, of Winchester, is visiting his sister, Mrs. R. B. Burnam. Mr. John M. Park, one of the big farmers of Estill, was here on Monday. Misses Willie Kern and Maggie Goff are the guests of Miss Agnes Chenault. Miss Kate Phelps attended the Givens-Irvine reception near Danville last week. Professor John Burnam, of Georgetown College, made Richmond a short visit this week.

Misses Cecil and Kimball, of Danville, visited the Misses Crow, this place, last week. Mr. J. K. Worrell, of Steimets, Mo., was here Saturday among his numerous friends. Squire John McCord, of Clark, came over last week and visited relatives in this county. Messrs. Gatewood and Ewing, of Montgomery county, visited Dr. J. M. Poyntz, last week. Mrs. D. A. Shanahan leaves to-morrow for a protracted visit to relatives in Louisville.

Miss Kate Phelps, of Madison, has been the guest of Mrs. W. M. Bright—Stanford Journal. Mr. Luther Dykes, of Clark county, came over last week to visit his sons, J. E. and J. D. Dykes.

Major Garner and wife, of Winchester, visited Mr. B. W. Turner and wife, this place, last week. Mr. Jack McCord, of Winchester, one of C. U.'s old students attended the Contest Friday night.

Mrs. A. A. Underwood, of Lincoln county, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mitchell, on Estill Avenue. Mr. Julian Adair, of Carlisle, spent several days last week at the Glynndon, visiting his father, Mr. F. H. Adair.

Mr. R. Tate Irvine, attorney at law, Big Stone Gap, Va., came on Monday to see his student brother who is sick. Mr. Irvine Blanton, wife and daughter, of Cynthiana, who visited relatives in Richmond, last week, have gone home.

Mr. Harry Hargis was called on Wednesday to his home near Staunton, Virginia, by the sudden death of his father. Miss Lelia Jones, of New Castle, Ky., visited her brother, Mr. W. A. Jones, last week. Mr. Jones was one of the contestants in the Friday night.

Prof. Bush, of Madison Indiana, will open a dancing school at No. 217 West Main street, to-morrow evening. He comes well recommended.

Mrs. Lucas Broadhead, of Spring Station, formerly Miss Breck, this place, was one of the guests at the Swigert-Armstrong wedding at Hillsboro, O.

Miss Belle Arnold returned Friday from the New England Conservatory of Music. Miss Belle said she had been in Europe, to be absent several months. Misses Dimpie Cecil and Eliza Kinard, Messrs. George Green and J. S. Fisher, of Danville, who visited Miss Lucy Crow, last week, returned home Monday.

Mr. Will Seacore, of Lexington, formerly of this place, was one of the attendees at the marriage of Mr. Robert Swigert, of Fayette, to Miss Armstrong, of Hillsboro, O.

Mrs. and Mrs. Peter Hinn, of Milwaukee, Wis., have lately been visiting relatives in this neighborhood. Their beautiful daughter, Miss Ella, accompanied them. They will visit Rev. Milton Elliott, of Kirksville, before returning home.—Millers Creek correspondent, Irvine Eagle.

Mr. G. W. Taylor, attorney at law, Great Falls, Montana, passed through Richmond, last week, on his way home from a business trip South. He stopped off here to see his brother Dr. T. J. Taylor, and while they are liberal they are not wealthy. Bro. Marshall was obtaining means to establish another church in Lincoln.—Paris Kentuckian Citizen.

The 62nd annual Diocesan Council of the Episcopal church will convene in St. John's church, here, on Wednesday, May 6th, and continue for several days. About 100 ministers and delegates and a large number of visitors will be in attendance. Pre-conference services will be held by the Rt. Rev. C. C. Penick, of Louisville, on Monday night and Tuesday morning, May 5th and 6th. Tuesday morning, May 6th, the Rev. D. D. Will, will preach and administer the eucharistic rite at confirmation.—Versailles Sun.

At the missionary anniversary of Northern New York Conference, Dr. A. B. Leonard, who once ran for prohibition Governor in Ohio, denounced the attempts of political control of the Roman Catholic church in America, and said that no member of that religion could fill the episcopal chair as long as it was known that the most nearest his ear would be that of the man on the Tiber. He vigorously attacked Mormonism, apathy in church, and the exclusion of Chinamen from immigration. His words aroused considerable enthusiasm.

The following is the program of the annual meeting of the American Bible Society to be held at the First Presbyterian church, this place, Sunday night, May 4th, at 7:30: 1. Voluntary, by the choir; 2. Reading the Scriptures, by Rev. B. C. Hagerman; 3. Prayer, by Dr. E. Porman; 4. Minutes of Last Annual Meeting and Report of the Executive Committee; 5. Reports of Depository and Treasurer; 6. Election of Officers for the ensuing year; 7. Time and Place of next Annual Meeting; 8. Miscellaneous Business; 9. Song; 10. Address by Dr. J. V. Logan; 11. Address by Rev. Preston Blake; 12. Song; 13. Benediction.

We find the following item in the Big Stone Gap News: "Rev. W. Simmon, a Baptist minister from Richmond, Kentucky, is in the city on a visit of inspection, and is so well pleased with the outlook that he is thinking of locating here. He preached two very interesting sermons last Sunday, and the public is anxious to hear him preach again, and night on two special subjects, mentioned elsewhere in this issue." Mr. Simmon was the pastor of the Lawrenceburg Baptist church for several years, and his many friends here will be glad to learn of his whereabouts. After leaving here he went to Knoxville, where he remained several years.—Lawrenceburg News.

The Louisville and Nashville Railway has made arrangements to run a through train from Louisville to Fort Worth, Texas, next month, for the benefit of the delegates to the Baptist Convention, to be held there May 10-15. This train is already known as the "Baptist train," and will be made up with special regard for the comfort and convenience of the reverend gentlemen who will go. The train will consist of parlor, sleeping and drawing-room Pullman cars, and will be run by the Louisville & Nashville Railway.

Diaboli as Usual. Extra nice steak, fish, lamb, eggs and bread with coffee and fresh sweet milk, for dinner Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday. Don't give us any. We are always in the rug and never the least bit disfigured. A new cook just from Italy. (H) S. DIBBLE & CO.

"Nothing gives better evidence of the material advancement of property values in Versailles than the sale of the building now occupied by Amdein's Bank," said an old resident the other day. "I can remember," he continued, "when that house was sold for \$1,800. Mr. Amdein bought it some years ago for \$3,200, and yesterday it sold for \$6,000."

## RELIGIOUS.

Rev. H. T. Daniel is conducting a successful protracted meeting at Paris. Rev. Green Clay Smith will preach twice a month at New Providence church, Boyle county. Rev. C. P. Williamson is assisting Rev. John G. Fee in a protracted meeting at Berea this week. Elder Rainey will preach first Sunday in May at the Methodist church, Waco, Indiana, at Wallace Chapel, as heretofore announced.

In speaking of the colored baptizing of 47 persons at this place, last week, we should have mentioned that at least fifteen hundred people were present. The Rt. Rev. Thos. U. Dudley preached one of his characteristically able sermons at the Episcopal church, this place, Tuesday night of last week. One confirmation.

Rev. R. B. Mahony seems to be serving a liberal people. He took up a collection at his church in Columbia, Tenn., last Sunday and raised for one object alone \$80.50.—Stanford Journal.

Rev. E. P. Benton, of Speedwell, will preach at Mt. Tabor the third Sunday in May. During the meeting, an effort will be made to organize a Sunday school.—Irvine Eagle.

Out of 170 Presbyteries that have voted on the subject of the revision of the Confession of Faith of the Presbyterian church, 150 favor revision, 55 oppose it, and five decline to take a stand one way or the other.

Bishop T. U. Dudley preached at Christ Church, Lexington, Sunday before last. During the day he confirmed 33 persons, 24 at Christ Church, 8 from South Broadway mission; in the afternoon, a young colored woman at St. Andrews.

Robert R. West was ordained to the gospel ministry, in Washington City on May 1st, last. He is a native of this county and is the son of Mr. John K. West. He has been called to the pastorate of a suburban church in the above named city.—Lancaster Record.

A colored exorcism will be run from Frankfort to this place, Sunday, on account of laying of the cornerstone of the new Methodist church. The exorcism will be held at the place to Frankfort same day, on account of the baptism of 140 converts to the Baptist church. Fare, \$1 for the round trip.—Bourbon News.

Rev. W. Y. Sheppard, of Harrodsburg, held an interesting service at the Methodist church, Monday night, and at its conclusion the candidates received the Episcopalian rite. It is his purpose to establish a mission here and preach to it once or twice a month, using the court-house for services.—Stanford Journal.

"Without Purse or Script," the life of Geo. O. Barnes, which readily sold for five dollars when first issued, is now on sale at a second hand book store in Louisville at ten cents per copy. This little incident shows that fame is a very unsubstantial thing, even at best, and that the posthumous kind lives the longest.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

May 15 is the date of the meeting of the Presbyterian General Assembly (North) for the consideration of the question of revision of the creed. The church has never faced a more momentous proposition for change since the dissolution of the ties which bound the Southern wing to the general church in the United States.—Harrison Daily Advance.

A rally at Providence church. Next Sunday at 10 o'clock, there will be a mass meeting of the children of the neighborhood to organize for the summer work. This will be followed by preaching at 11 o'clock, all who are interested in church work are invited to be present. Children have their collection cards will report. Bring your music book.

MORRIS EVANS. Elder C. K. Marshall, of Baltimore, formerly pastor of the Christian Church, delivered two excellent sermons here Sunday. Bro. Marshall has a salary of \$1,800 per year, without parsonage, and out of this he pays \$270 for rent monthly for his residence. There is a membership of 900, and while they are liberal they are not wealthy. Bro. Marshall was obtaining means to establish another church in Lincoln.—Paris Kentuckian Citizen.

The great mare Beautiful Bella, by the Moor, out of Minnehaha, has recently dropped her eleventh foal, a filly by Electioneer. Her foals all are living except Bell Boy, which was burned at Versailles in a fire in 1887. The new foal, named Electioneer, has produced each year. In 1883 she produced a filly by Electioneer, all the others being by Electioneer. The produce of this mare is probably worth \$50,000.—Advocate.

The sale of the celebrated Belle Meade Stud began near Nashville, Thursday. Thirty-four yearling colts sold for \$3,300, most of them for \$1,100, and twenty-seven fillies brought \$1,675, and an average of \$569. Twenty brood mares, most of which were bought by Gen. W. H. Jackson, who will continue the breeding business at Belle Meade, realized \$7,150, an average of \$357. The new stud stallions were sold for \$1,000 each. Belle Meade, Gen. Jackson buying them in. Inquiries and Luke Blackburn sold for \$3,000 and \$2,000 respectively. Bramble brought \$2,500. Ninety-one brood mares sold for \$8,500, an average of \$94. The total sum realized by the sale is \$19,975.

W. J. & J. S. Collins and their mammoth jack, Benson Chief at the place of W. J. Collins, 2 1/2 miles north of Richmond. The season price is for jennets, \$25 the season, or \$50 to insure a living colt. Bourbon Chief is 16 1/2 hands high, and weighs 1,200 lbs, and the Messrs. Collins say it is the biggest jack in the world. He is coal black with mane, nose, and for bone, weight, style, action and appearance, has no equal. He is by Redmon's Hercules, he by Patterson's Buena Vista, he by imported Mammoth; First dam by Fox's Napoleon, etc.

R. P. Fox & Sons, of their place, 1 1/2 miles out on Jack's Creek pike, will stand their finely bred stallion, Milton, at \$15. He is a bay, 7 years old, 15 1/2 hands high, good mane and tail, and well formed. His dam is by White's Hambletonian; and by Black Diamond; 3rd by Don Juan; 4th by Copper Horse; 5th by White's Hambletonian, his dam Bob Didlake, he by Mambrino Chief, his dam by Bertrand. Milton's 2nd dam by Black Diamond, he by Old Drennon, his dam by Mambrino Chief.

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## MIGRATION OF ANIMALS.

Wonderful instinct they display in their journeyings.

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Some fishes move into warmer waters during winter, and the salmon leaves the rivers and shores, on the approach of winter, to seek the warmer waters of the deep sea. Other fish do the same. The cod-fish move in great numbers about the month of May from the northern seas toward Newfoundland.

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Most birds perform their migration during the night; some species, however, by day. Others, again, migrate by day or night. To the class which fly by day belong the birds of prey which obtain their food by the crow, the eagle, the hawk, the falcon, the kestrel, the osprey, the golden eagle, the bald eagle, the vulture, the condor, the eagle, the hawk, the falcon, the kestrel, the osprey, the golden eagle, the bald eagle, the vulture, the condor.

## DRINKING IN EUROPE.

"Geth" tells some interesting things about foreign drinking customs. Last summer when I was in the northern part of Europe I found almost pure set free upon the breakfast table in an urn where nearly every body drew a glass and absorbed its effects, at the same time taking certain pleasured. After drinking this state of mind, eating cold ration until the appetite was stout and hearty, the regular breakfast was called for, which consisted of eggs, steak, coffee, etc.

There are some curious but expressive signs noticed in Nebraska by a traveling man: Omaha barber shop: "Pom on bed & extra" Columbus depot: "Gentlemen, keep out ladies' room."

## MEN AND WOMEN.

The stories of Charles Dickens place a wealth of holy upon his text at Westminster Abbey every Christmas tide.

An Italian newspaper states that Emperor Franz Joseph of Austria has made King Humbert a present of 10,000 Virginia cigars. He has a special factory where these cigars are made for him and his royal friends.

William Morris, the poet and designer, is very unpopular in Rome just now for he has been telling the shopkeepers that two-thirds of the things seen in their windows are "without further form, without the semblance of the artistic spirit in them."

The anniversary of the birth of President Ceres of Peru was celebrated at Lima and the festivities lasted three days. A newspaper correspondent writes that "the usual custom of the Peruvians to eat a three-course dinner, consisting of soup, meat, and vegetables, was abandoned in honor of the President."

A Berlin paper relates this story by way of illustrating the kindheartedness of Dom Pedro. Some years ago a woman in Berlin was deserted by her husband. A few months later she received a letter and some money from him, but these missives soon ceased and the woman was left in the greatest poverty.

Eliza Cook in her will, which was probated in England a few weeks ago, bequeathed her estate with that information given to any one for the purpose of compiling memoirs of her life and works. Her will was probated in England a few weeks ago.

## SMILES AND QUIRKS.

A maiden speaks: "Ask papa." The other thinks that a good role is better than a loaf. Gentlemen who wind their watches at night are apt to wind their spirits tight. People who live in Uncle Sam's pocket keep warm in the coldest weather.

The Pension Department at Washington has upon its rolls the names of twenty-seven widows of revolutionary soldiers who have been regularly paid pensions up to the present time. Three of them are 97 years of age and two 96. The youngest is 71.

## QUEER ORIGINS OF WORDS.

"Oh, dear!" is equivalent to O Dio mio, "O my God!" "Thimble" is "thumb bell" and "nose-dip" is strictly a "nose-dip."

"Variety" is the same word as "value," and each is an offshoot of the feudal "vassal."

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## CANCELED STAMPS.

Any One Having a Million Can Find a Market for Them. Has any one 1,000,000 stamps, or 500,000, or 100,000? The man who has long been wanted by people who have saved up stamps, and who have jealously guarded them for years, has been found.

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LOTS OF BARGAINS. LOT NO. 1 Consists of Ladies' and Children's Jersey Ribbed Vests at 15c apiece. LOT NO. 2 Consists of Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests at 25c apiece. LOT NO. 3 Consists of a Good Standard Calico, at 5c per yard.

LOT NO. 4 Consists of Good Bleached Domestic, at 7 1/2c per yard. LOTS NO. 5, 6 AND 7 Consists of the Best Ladies' Hose in the country, at 10, 15 and 25c a pair.

LOT NO. 8 AND 9 Consist of Elegant Ladies' Handkerchiefs at 5 and 10c a piece. LOT NO. 10 Consists of Handsome Chiffons, at 50c per yard. LOT NO. 11 Consists of Beautiful Satinets at 12 1/2c per yard.

LOT NO. 12 Consists of a No. 1 Quality India Linen, at 10c per yard. LOT NO. 13 Consists of Lovely Dress Goods at 12 1/2c per yard. LOT NO. 14 Consists of 30-inch Henriettas, at 25c per yard.

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